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In re Application of:

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed June 11, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, between lines 1 and 2, insert:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--;

between lines 26 and 27, insert:

--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 2, between lines 24 and 25, insert:

--DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION--.

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